

## Farmers' Department.

Planting Trees.  
An extract from Horace Greeley's speech at the Indiana State Fair:—

How light the occasional labor and how great the success with which even the humblest man may be enriched and beautified, especially by tree-planting, is yet but imperfectly realized. Only a few live in lovely mansions, but roadside elms which shade the lowliest cot may be as stately and graceful as any that stud the park of the wealthiest merchant, the proudest earl. As I am whirled through our rural districts, and see house after house unsheltered by a single tree, I mourn the heedlessness, the blindness, which thus denies them an ornament and comfort so completely within the reach of the poorest. The farmer who goes to mill or to market, may return with a sapling which once fairly planted (and it is a good half-day's work to prepare the ground for and properly plant a tree) and effectually shielded from injury, will be a source and joy to his family and their successors for centuries. In a country where forests are so rich in admirable trees as ours—where the buckeye, the tulip, the elm, the maple, the white oak and the hickory are so easily procured—it is a shame that even one human habitation so much as a year old should be still unsheltered by shade-trees. Every school house, every church—at least where land can be half-hidden by a grove of the most unbragging, hardy, cleanly trees, and every school-boy should consider himself a debtor by at least one tree, to the little edifice in which the rudiments of knowledge were first instilled into his understanding, until such a grove shall there have been completed.

In our capricious, fervid climate, we need shade-trees, but not these alone—The dearth of fruit, especially in the west, is almost universal. Not one dwelling in ten is flanked and backed by such a belt of apple, peach, pear, cherry, quince and plum trees as should thrive there. Of grapes, there is not a vine where there should be a hundred. Even the hardy and easily started currant-bush is not half so abundant as it deserves to be. Most farmers would deem it a waste to devote two square rods of each of their gardens to the strawberry; while the bare idea of cultivating raspberries or blackberries strikes a large majority of them as intensely ridiculous. Now there is no dispute as to the folly of cultivating that which abounds on every side and may be obtained without labor or care;—and I judge from observations on the fence-sides and corners of many farms, that the kind of anything of the briar kind on those farms would be a superfluous undertaking.

Yet I do not insist, that, as a people, we have far too little fruit, and that most of it is of needless inferior quality; that the grossness of our food is the cause of many painful and disabling diseases which a free and frequent use of good fruit would prevent; that, even regarded solely in the light of profit, our farmers ought to grow more and better fruit, both for their own use and for sale; and that noble orchards as well as forests must in time diversify the bare landscape even of the great prairies, breaking the sweep of their fierce winds, and contributing in a thousand ways to the physical enjoyment and spiritual elevation of man.

**Farm House Cream.**  
Reader! did you ever taste such a cup of tea as Miss Gibbs is this moment handing to Mr. Pilgrim? Do you know the delicate strength, the animating blandness of tea sufficiently blended with real farm-house cream? No—most likely you are a miserable town-bred reeler, who think of cream as a thickish white fluid, delivered in infinitesimal pennyworths down area steps; or perhaps you refrain from any lacteal addition, and rasp your tongue with unmitigated boken. You have a vague idea of a milk cow as probably a white-plaster animal standing in a buttermilk window, and you know nothing of the sweet history of genuine cream, such as Miss Gibbs'—how it was this morning in the udders of the large sleek heifer, as they stood lowing a patient entry under the milking-shed; how it fell with a pleasant rhythm into Betty's pail, sending a delicious incense into the cool air; how it was carried in to that temple of moist cleanliness, the dairy, where it quietly separated itself from the menner elements of milk, and lay in mellowed whiteness, Mrs. Gibbs' glass cream jug. If I am right in my conjecture, you are unacquainted with the highest possibilities of tea; and Mr. Pilgrim, who is holding that cup in his hand, has an idea beyond you.—*Blackwood: Story of Amos Barton.*

**Recipes.**  
**PUCK WHEAT CAKES.**—This cheap article of food is considered a luxury there about the American States, from the first of April. During this period it is found everywhere for breakfast on the most frugal and on the most sumptuous tables.—When eaten warm with butter, sugar, molasses or treacle, it possesses a flavor that cannot be equalled by any griddle cakes whatever. The buck-wheat flour put up in small cakes in Philadelphia, is the best that can be procured in America.—Mix the flour with cold water, put in a cup of yeast and a little salt; set it in a warm place over night. If it should be sour in the morning, put in a little carbonate of soda, fry them the same as any griddle cakes. Leave enough of the batter to leaven the next mess. To be eaten with butter, molasses or sugar. Try it.

**APPLE JELLY.**—Apples make an excellent jelly. The process is as follows:—They are pared, quartered, and the core completely removed, and put into an oven or over a fire. When pretty well stewed, the juice is to be squeezed out through a cloth, to which a little white egg is added, and then the sugar; skim it previous to boiling, then reduce it to a proper consistency, an excellent jelly will be the product.

**TO PRESERVE QUINCES.**—Pare thin, quarter them lengthwise, take out the cores in as much water as will cover them. Boil them until tender; strain through a thin cloth; put the juice into a preserve kettle; weigh out as many pounds of sugar as you have pounds of quinces; quinces and treat in same way as pears.

## DELINQUENT LAND ADVERTISEMENT

A LIST OF LANDS AND TOWN LOTS returned Delinquent by the Treasurer of Geauga County, for the Taxes due for the Year 1857, to which is added a Penalty of Thirty per cent, together with the simple Tax for the Year 1858.

DECEMBER 1, 1858.

OWNER'S NAME.		Range	Town	Tract	Lot	Part of Lot, &c.	No. of acres.	Value.	Dolls	Cents	
Edwards, Daniel W.					24	house	.64		92		
RUSSELL.											
Champion, Aristarchus		9	7	3	4	north east part	50	527	8	49	
Same		9	7	3	3	south middle part, house	19	409	6	19	
Same		9	7	3	11	middle south road, house	14	369	6	18	
Same		9	7	3	14	north part	12 1/2	118	1	98	
Same		9	7	3	16	s middle s of road and line	3	53			
Same		9	7	3	10	east of east half	23	263	4	23	
Fuller, Charles W.		9	7	3	20	centre divide e of r of r	1	55		99	
Fuller, J. W.		9	7	3	20	north middle part	24	355	5	89	
Same		9	7	3	20	middle	18	243	7	28	
Gardner, Alton C.		9	7	3	15	south middle part	25	393	6	35	
Gardner, M. heirs of		9	7	1	4	south middle	16	199	3	14	
Hall, John		9	7	1	13	1 west end, west of river	33	357	5	75	
John, Walter		9	7	1	4	middle part	1	15		51	
Moore, D. B. T.		9	7	1	3	middle part, house	4 1/2	211	3	53	
Robinson, R. L.		9	7	3	6	south part	6	105	1	69	
BAINBRIDGE.											
Gutham, A. H.		9	6	3	13	south middle east of road	9	63	1	19	
Spurr, Samuel		9	6	3	23	middle	12	281	7	19	
Thrall, Freshorn		9	6	3	25	2 houses and barn, middle	14	22	7	73	
Wilson, William S.		9	6	2	20	north east part					
AUBURN.											
Graves, Nelson		R.	T.	T.	S.	L.					
Parks, Melissa		8	6	3	23	south east part, house	40	650	11	86	
Sheffield, George W.		8	6	3	4	(1) west and south of riv	5	92	1	58	
White, M. J.		8	6	2	5	2 houses & rd, house	1	184	3	17	
NEWBURY.											
Alexander, Joseph		R.	S.	T.	L.						
Baker, William		8	7	1	12	south east corner	18	230	3	78	
Granger J. & Warren N		8	7	1	34	s & w of ml, shop, &c.	31	459	7	89	
Hale, Capt. John		8	7	1	26	north middle	20	317	4	407	
Hale, Samuel		8	7	1	13	north west part	8	140		7	
Luther, Benjamin		8	7	1	34	west part	1	215	2	86	
Rice, John E.		8	7	1	34	north west of cor, house	14	29		70	
Wyckoff, Horatio N.		8	7	1	2	ml part, house and shop	2	45		23	
MUNSON.											
Downing George		R.	T.	T.	S.	L.					
Granger, John M.		8	8	2	58 1/2	west part, barn	31 1/2	470	7	37	
Rider, William		8	8	3	24	G house	4	165	2	53	
Same		8	8	1	4	ml part, 2 house & 2 barn	19 1/2	903	14	23	
Same		8	8	1	4	east middle	10	131	1	62	
Rider, Lemah P.		8	8	1	4	east middle	2	31		76	
Shumway, Jeremiah		8	8	3	25	e and n part, hand 2 barn	63	1039	16	82	
Street, T. heirs of		8	8	3	1	east part	11	171	2	86	
Tuttle, George B.		8	8	1	11 & 12	east part	31 1/2	412	8	65	
CHARDON.											
Buschell, Hiram		R.	T.	T.	S.	L.					
Bald, N. and Unal		8	9	3	3147 & 3145	north east, house and barn	36	573	8	10	
P. & H. Railroad Co		8	9	1	9	east middle part	4	48		88	
Same		8	9	3	3126, 29, 30	house and barn	63	1604	24	47	
Same		8	9	3	20	south part	41 1/2	752	8	48	
Same		8	9	2	31	south part	50	521	7	71	
Same		8	9	2	27	south east part	7 1/2	112		65	
Reynolds, John		8	9	2	5	south part, house	15	707	10	60	
Same		8	9	2	5	ball alley	1	82		15	
CHARDON TOWN PLAT.											
Hedges Alfred		L.									
Murray, John 2d		16				six and a-half rods front and house, 34 by 6 rods	105	2	44		
HAMBDEN.											
Adams, Lucy		R.	T.	T.	L.						
Brown, Robert, 2nd		9	7	1	18	s e of sq, house and barn	1 1/4	191	3	31	
Hathaway, I. N.		7	9	1	11, 12	e and s w, house & barn	4	381	6	62	
Kibbee, E. heirs of		7	9	1	21	north west part	5 1/2	79	1	26	
Woodard, Solomon		7	9	1	21	s mill, house and barn	7 1/2	12	47	23	
Warner, Martin J.		7	9	1	21	west part	16	133	6	63	
Same		7	9	1	21	west part	21	752	13	55	
CLARIDON.											
Hathaway, I. N.		R.	T.	T.	S.	L.					
Perkins, Jacob		7	8	e.s.	2	1	middle, tannery, &c.	1-12	111	1	91
Same		7	8	e.s.	2	3	north and east part	3	45		86
Same		7	8	e.s.	3	1	north middle, house	9 1/4	161	2	67
Same		7	8	e.s.	3	1	north middle part	27	464	3	63
Traeger, Ephraim		7	7	e.s.	3	2	middle part	25	213	4	03
Warriner, Jacob and O.		7	8	e.s.	7	2	north and barn	15	381	6	32
Same		7	8	e.s.	7	2	s part, house and barn	83	1535	25	47
BURTON.											
Rider, Lorenzo J.		R.	T.	T.	S.	L.					
Silverman, Jeffrey		7	7	7	75	north and east	10	134	2	12	
Same		7	7	7	98	south part	30	357	6	20	
TROY.											
Dean, Elijah		7	6	25	8	south middle part	22 1/2	288	4	76	
Hathaway, James		7	6	13	4	middle, house and barn	100	1131	22	37	
Hawkins, William		7	6	24		north middle part	4	63	1	94	
Pomeroy, Noah		7	6	24		middle part	30 1/2	920	15	23	
Truman, Lyman		7	6	13		s w cor of n w qr					
PARKMAN.											
Perkins, Jacob		R.	T.	T.	L.						
Same		6	6	12	4	north part	19 1/2	344	6	71	
Same		6	6	12	4	barn	77	1106	17	53	
Same		6	6	21	4	east of river	5	214	4	05	
Perkins, Joseph		6	6	12	3	east part	9	124	1	83	
Same		6	6	15	4	south east	40	519	8	73	
Same		6	6	15	5	north east part	22	234	6	20	
Parish, Otis		6	6	15	5	middle part, house	5	161	2	61	
Parker, James		6	6	15	3	north west part	24	275	5	08	
Hale, Ralph		6	6	15	4	north west part	28 1/2	410	5	01	
Squire, Samuel		6	6	15	4	ml part, house & barn	4	213	5	09	
PARKMAN TOWN PLAT.											
Brinson, Samuel		19	35	32		north east, store house	3 1/2	219	3	46	
French, John M. D.		19	101			house	5	127	2	02	
Henderson Anna		6	7	57		house	1-3	341	6	21	
McCluhan, Collins		19	75			shop	1-3	153	2	56	
Pitner, Henry		19	48	47		north part	5 1/2	151	2	56	
Same		19	49			shop	17	243	4	31	
Perkins, Jacob		19	42			house	5	76	1	02	
Palin, David S.		19	19			h l b	21	246	4	05	
Fiden, Josiah S.		19	19			h l b, house and barn	1	55		96	
Same		19	19			store	15	152	2	45	
MIDDLEFIELD.											
Brown, Ephraim A.		R.	T.	L.							
Fowler, Oliver		6	7	24	43	s e corner, house and barn	75	1-2	1230	19	
Same		6	7	24	43	ml part, house and barn	98	1-2	1735	27	89
Fowler, Oliver		6	7	48	3	north east part	23	1-2	356	9	8
Same		6	7	48	3	south east	50	624	9	8	
Squier, Hezekiah		6	7	21	21	s w ml, house and barn	22	413	7	23	
Tracey, Martha		6	7	21	29	ml of e and w rd, house	26	1-2	633	4	7
Same		6	7	21	29	middle, house and shop	1	293		4	
HUNTSBURGH.											
French, John		6	8	91		east part, house	26	232	4	7	
Over, Sidney A.		6	8	23		north of middle	10 1/2	1	47	1	91
Reed, S. W. & W.		6	8	23		middle in common	9	1-2	149	7	6
Wilkins & Kelley		6	8	52		east part	75	727	7	6	
MONTVILLE.											
Aikin, D. D.		6	9	4		west middle	9	117	1	5	
Battles J. heirs of		6	9	6		house	300	3	39	2	9
Baker, S. M.		6	9	13, 24		house	4	100	1	3	
Coville, Stephen		6	9	2		ml n of cn, house & barn	50	932	12	22	
Clark, Mary		6	9	6		north east	50	914	13	85	
Brook, A. W. & C.		6	9	12		east part, house and barn	103	1610	21	29	
Dayton, Spencer		6	9	13, 14		house and barn	11	235	3	20	
Drake, Asa		6	9	13		12, 13 & 14 with buildings	1	2-46	6	0	
Hale, Ralph		6	9	9		house and barn	20	444	2	3	
McNaughton, John M.		6	9	19, 4		house and barn	117	1897	24	0	
Same		6	9	19, 1		north east	33	241	3	7	
Same		6	9	19, 2		north west part	14	1-2	128	3	3
Same		6	9	19, 3		north west part	14	1-2	128	3	3
Miller, Augustus		6	9	13, 26		house and barn	1-2	243	3	7	
McNaughton, Peter		6	9	19, 3		all but n e corner	81	843	11	7	
Same		6	9	19, 4		north west part	2	221	2	7	
Morehouse, Jesse		6	9	13		house	2	114	1	5	
Nee, John		6	9	13		east middle	1	200	2	7	
Oard, O. C.		6	9	9		middle part	5	1-2	66	7	0
Tate, James		6	9	11		west mid west of road	50	532	7	0	
Squire, Samuel		6	9	12		ml east of road	5	78	1	0	
THOPPON.											
Boughton, Jane E.		6	10	38		north west corner	27	250	4	5	
Same		6	10	39		south west part	20	200	3	4	
Bingham, John		6	10	29		north east corner, barn	50	799	13	88	
Bosack, Cyrus		6	10	31		north east corner, house	50	733	13	88	
Comstock, Jernal		6	10	24		north middle part	1-2	160	2	7	
Credwick, Gordon		6	10	24		ml mid, house	1-2	250	4	7	
Edgerton, Benjamin		6	10	31		ml west of rd, house and b	50	733	13	88	
Hobson, Almada		6	10	20		ml mid, saw mill	1	558	9	9	
Long, William		6	10	4		ml b, house and barn	1-12	197	3	7	
Morphy, Darius		6	10	38		north mid part	1	143	1	4	
M. Lean, John D.		6	10	20		ml part between roads	33	294	5	1	
Pecor, Moses		6	10	24		north part	33	294	5	1	
Smith, Joseph		6	10	38		south east part, house	26	474	8		
Spencer, Alfred		6	10	38		north east part, house	11	211	3	8	
Stocking, J. S.		6	10	38		middle part, 2 houses	14	431	5		
Same		6	10	38		south part	50	492	8		
Same		6	10	38		a mid of centre	50	434	8		
Same		6	10	38		ml east of road	20	233	5		
Audron's Office, Chardon, Geauga Co., Ohio, Dec. 1st, 1851.											
I DO HEREBY CERTIFY the foregoing to be a Correct List of Lands and Town Lots returned Delinquent by the Treasurer of said County, for Taxes charged thereon, for the Year 1857, to which is added a Penalty of (30) Thirty Per Cent and also the Simple Tax charged for the Year 1858.											
C. C. FIELD, County Auditor.											